



14TH ANNUAL ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE SERIES

venango
HONORS NIGHT

APRIL 11, 2019

5:30 P.M.
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CLARION
UNIVERSITY
VENANGO CAMPUS

HONORS NIGHT

Celebration

PART OF THE
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On this very special evening, the 27th Venango Honors Night, we gather to salute the achievements of our students and to thank the donors who have benefited the entire region by making it possible for the university to offer programs to meet critical educational and workforce development needs.

The generous support of scholarship donors provides life-changing opportunities for students of all ages. Their gifts help Clarion University — Venango move forward to better serve students and the community for generations to come.

Welcome Dr. Pamela J. Gent
Provost and VP Academic Affairs

Dinner

Remarks and Introduction of Speaker Hope Lineman
Interim Venango Campus Director

Speaker John Phillips
President & Chief Executive Officer, Oil Region Alliance

Dean's List and Dr. Renae Shawgo and
Special Achievement..... Dr. David Lott

Scholarship Recipients
and Sponsors..... Mike Greer
Director of Development, CUF Inc.

Will Price
Venango Campus Alumni Association

Awards for Outstanding Students..... Dr. Tammy Dulaney
Dr. Renee Bloom
Dr. Deborah Kelly
Jennifer May

Contribution to Student Life Award..... Dr. Shawn Hoke
Assistant VP for Student Affairs

Closing Remarks Hope Lineman

Dean's List and Special Achievement

DEAN'S LIST

SPRING & FALL 2018

Kinsey Green
Jerry Hanna
Samantha Horn
Kelsey Monro

Aaron Ritsig
Andrew Ritsig
Jessica Veshinfsky
Sandra Whitcomb

Sierra Wilkins
Ipek Yashinski

SPRING 2018

Rachel Beightol
David Burk
Jessica Clark
Alexi Felmlee
Shawlane Heffern
Justine McClaine

Anita McMullen
Katelyn Myers
Courtney Paton
Robin Rybczyk
Jeffrey Shearer
Sydney Silloway

Brooke Smith
Jay Stull
Kaitlyn Vale
Karina Webber

FALL 2018

Hunter Birtciel
Katie Bollard
Audrey Craig
Heather D'Souza
Emily Eichenlaub
Megan Eismont
Katrina Favreau
Allison Fleming
Kaleigh Girt
Ashlie Girty

Jacqueline
Goehringer
Briana Goodman
Amanda Griffin
Lauren Hartle
Brianna Higgins
Holly Hudson
Hannah Kapp
Vanessa Klinger
Taylor Love

Fyanna McDonald
Nicole Mook
Amanda Myers
Trelyn Nelson
Sarah Page
Becca Smith
Cara Smith
Cole Tassone
Alexandra Vaughn
Lauren Yeager

STUDENT SENATE

Nathaniel Beveridge
Tiffany Boring
Alexa Chaikowsky

Kinsey Green
Trelyn Nelson
Jessica Veshinfsky

Saira Walker
Lauren Yeager

HIGH ACHIEVEMENT AWARD FOR PART-TIME STUDENTS

Julie Hiles

Scholarship Recipients and Sponsors

SCHOLARSHIPS

ALEXANDER D. “BUD” MARKS

Lori King

Established by Ardelle Marks in memory of her husband, Alexander D. “Bud” Marks. This scholarship provides financial assistance to students enrolling in business-related majors at Clarion University — Venango.

DERRICK PUBLISHING COMPANY/IMO EDWARD P. BOYLE

Amber Jock

Candidates must reside in Venango, Clarion or Forest county and attend Clarion University — Venango. Academic merit and financial need is evaluated, with first priority given to an employee or child/spouse of an employee.

DR. AND MRS. ARTHUR W. PHILLIPS/IMO WILLIAM J. MCFATE AND JUDGE WILLIAM E. BREEN

Hannah Keyes

Undergraduate awards in nursing or other programs related to medicine. Students must have attended high school or been permanent residents of Allegheny, Butler, Clarion, Crawford, Erie, Forest, Mercer or Venango county; achieved academic success; and have good moral character.

DR. GLENN R. MCELHATTAN

Nathaniel Beveridge

Alexa Chaikowsky

Rylee Martzall

Shiann McCauley

Michael McCracken

Trelyn Nelson

Lauren Yeager

Established to honor a Clarion alumnus and retired chemistry department faculty member at Clarion University — Venango. Candidates must be high school seniors enrolled at Venango campus. Awards are granted based upon academic achievement.

FRANKLIN ROTARY

Jocelyn Whitman

Benefits graduates of a Venango County high school who are enrolled full-time and show exemplary service to their community. First priority is graduates of Franklin or Rocky Grove high schools.

GALAXY FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

Haley Trapano

Awarded annually to a Venango County resident.

LOUIS ADELSON SCHOLARSHIP

Alexis Benak

Nathaniel Beveridge

Hayden Defibaugh

Amanda Griffin

Scholarships are available for students living in Clarion University — Venango housing and showing financial need.

MARGERY L. HIMES

Miranda Baumcratz

Caroline Deeter

Hayden Defibaugh

Jenne Fingado

Erica Kerr

Rick McParland

Taylor Mitcham

Kelsey Monro

Courtney Paton

Emily Roxberry

Whitney Snyder

Amy Tenney

Joshua Volchko

Roxanne Wassil

Margery named Clarion University as a beneficiary to establish the Margery L. Himes Scholarship Endowment to support students attending Clarion University — Venango.

NATHAN & JACK GOURLEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Donald Albritton

Rick McParland

Heather Tanner

Benefits returning adult students at Clarion University — Venango.

OIL CITY LIONS, IMO LILLIAN (SHAW) SHINKLE AND TED SHAW

Montana Farren

Mike Wisniewski

Established by the Oil City Lions Club in honor of Lillian Shaw Shinkle and Ted Shaw. Candidates must be recent graduates of Oil City or Venango Christian high schools and must be entering their first year of study at Clarion University — Venango. Scholarship recipients may reapply in their second year of study at either Venango or Clarion campus.

OIL CITY ROTARY

Jay Stull

Awarded by the Oil City Rotary Club through the Clarion University Foundation, Inc. Recipient must be a graduate of Oil City, Cranberry, or Venango Christian high schools. Selected on the basis of academic record, financial need and participation in extracurricular activities.

PENNZOIL SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT

Donald Albritton

Tyler Baptie

Endowment established by Pennzoil. Award criteria are based on academic achievement and financial need.

REGIONAL VISION

Angela Remmick

Established by Regional Vision Leadership Development for Rural Northwest Pennsylvania to assist Clarion University — Venango students who exhibit leadership qualities in their community or school.

RONALD E. BLACK

Amy Tenney

Provides an award to a student at the Clarion University — Venango. Preference is given to adult students who are residents of Venango County.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN HEALTH SCIENCE MAJORS

Thomas Hardisky

Brittan Wolbert

Awarded to health science majors. Priority is given to Venango County residents with financial need.

THEODORE R. SHAW AND LILLIAN M.L. (SHAW) SHINKLE NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

Destini Taylor

Established by the Oil City Lions Club in honor of Lillian Shaw Shinkle and Ted Shaw. Candidates must be recent graduates of Oil City or Venango Christian high schools. Scholarship recipients may reapply in their second year of study.

UPMC NORTHWEST AUXILIARY

Alexandria Atkins

Awarded to Venango, Forest and Clarion County residents attending Clarion University — Venango for health career programs.

VENANGO CAMPUS ENDOWMENT

Clinton Eakin

Chidinma Ekeh

Endowment established by Clarion University — Venango employees which funds several scholarships for students.

ZONTA CLUB OF OIL CITY-FRANKLIN

Samantha Horn

Scholarships made available by the Zonta Club of Oil City-Franklin. Award recipients must be students who reside in Venango County. Consideration is based upon the students' academic record, financial need and participation in extracurricular activities.

Outstanding Student Awards

APPLIED TECHNOLOGY

Jay Stull

MEDICAL IMAGING

Kinsey Green

NURSING

Angela Remmick

REHABILITATIVE SCIENCES

Samantha Horn

Contribution to Student Life Award

Andrew Ritsig

HONORS NIGHT COMMITTEE

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Hope Lineman
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Chris Weidle

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